# NOMINATION ACCEPTANCE/BALLOT DESIGNATION FORM

# IMPORTANT: COMPLETE AND FILE THIS FORM NO LATER THAN MAY 14, 2009, 5:00 P.M. FIRM, (CERTIFIED MAIL IS RECOMMENDED) TO:

California Public Employees' Retirement System ATTENTION: CalPERS Election Coordinator Lincoln Plaza West - 400 Q Street, Room W2580 P.O. Box 942702 Sacramento, CA 94229-2702

## NOMINATION ACCEPTANCE/NON-ACCEPTANCE

Please select either Item #1 or #2 below by marking the appropriate box.	
1. Upon CalPERS determination that I am a qualified candidate, I accept the nomination for election as a member of the Board of Administration to fill the position whose term will begin January 16, 2010, and expire on January 15, 2014. I consent to serve if elected and agree to abide by the result of a drawing of lots by the Secretary of State in case of a tied vote. I submit the following information:	
Name and proposed Ballot Designation as I wish it shown on the ballot:	
Name:	
(Please type or print)	
Proposed Ballot	
Designation:	
(See California Code of Regulations, section 554.10, attached)	
Employer or Employer At Retirement:	
Job Classification or Job Classification at Retirement:	
Total years of CalPERS-covered service in California:	
2. I do not accept the nomination for the terms as set forth above.	
I understand that if I decide to withdraw my candidacy after submitting this certified form, if I checked box #1 above, I must notify the CalPERS Board Election Coordinator by phone at (916) 795-3952 and follow-up in writing at the address shown above within ten (10) working days following the nomination acceptance deadline date in order to have my name removed from the ballot and candidate statement information.	

→ Turn this form over. Read and complete the **CANDIDATE STATEMENT/ADDENDUM** and **CERTIFICATION** section.

### CANDIDATE STATEMENT/ADDENDUM

I understand that the California Public Employees' Retirement System will distribute with the ballot for the election (and runoff election if one is held) a candidate statement and candidate statement addendum for candidates who prepare them. I understand that the statement(s) must be truthful, and shall contain no obscene, vulgar, profane, libelous, or defamatory matter. The statement(s) shall not include any remarks or questions that are inherently misleading, including rhetorical remarks and questions that are inherently misleading.

I understand that once filed, the statement(s) may not be changed or withdrawn except as provided in CalPERS regulations at Title 2 California Code of Regulations Section 554.4(d), (e) <u>Candidate Statements</u>. I further understand that if candidate statement arbitration is conducted, and if I participate in the candidate statement arbitration, then, as stated in regulation Section 554.4(d), (e)(6):

- I will bear my own expenses in connection with the preparation and presentation of my case at the arbitration proceedings.
- The fees and expenses of the arbitrator and all other expenses of the arbitration shall be borne equally by each candidate participating in the arbitration.

#### **CERTIFICATION**

My signature below certifies my understanding of the information on this form regarding nomination acceptance/non-acceptance, withdrawing candidacy and the candidate statement. My signature below also certifies that I have completed the information on this form.

SIGNATURE:	
ADDRESS:	
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